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In re Application of:	)	Art Unit: 2161
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Irit LOY	)	Examiner: E. P. Leroux
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Appln. No.: 09/887,549	)	Washington, D.C.
	)	
Filed: June 25, 2001	)	Confirmation No. 5844
	)	
For: IMPLEMENTING DATA	)	November 7, 2005
MANAGEMENT APPLICATION	)	
PROGRAMMING INTERFACE	)	

REQUEST TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT,  
ISSUED IN ERROR

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Sir:

We are in receipt of a Notice of Abandonment, dated October 31, 2005, which, based on the prosecution history of this application, was clearly issued in error.

Attached hereto is a copy of the PAIR record of the file history of this application. This record indicates the following sequence of events that establish the erroneous nature of the Notice of Abandonment:

April 21, 2004 - a Final Action issued;

August 23, 2004 - a Notice of Appeal was filed, along with an extension fee for a one-month extension of time;



November 18, 2004 - a Non-final Action was issued;  
February 17, 2005 - a Response to the Non-Final  
Action was filed in the Patent and Trademark Office.

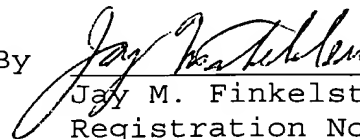
All of the above actions are reflected in the  
accompanying PAIR document.

Clearly, this application should not be considered  
to have been abandoned, given that the last substantive action  
issued by the examiner was a Non-Final Rejection and a timely  
Response was filed within three months of the mailing of that  
Non-Final Action.

Accordingly, it is urgently requested that the  
holding of abandonment be vacated, that an Action on the  
merits of the Amendment filed February 17, 2005, be given and  
that the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 22,  
2005, be considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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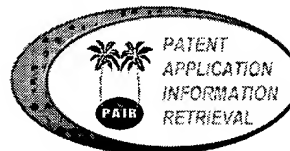




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## PATENT APPLICATION INFORMATION RETRIEVAL



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Search results for application number: 09/887,549			
Application Number:	09/887,549	Customer Number:	1444
Filing or 371(c) Date:	06-25-2001	Status:	Abandoned -- Failure to Respond to an Office Action
Application Type:	Utility	Status Date:	10-28-2005
Examiner Name:	LEROUX, ETIENNE PIERRE	Location:	ELECTRONIC
Group Art Unit:	2161	Location Date:	-
Confirmation Number:	5844	Earliest Publication No:	US 2002-0059309 A1
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Class/ Sub-Class:	707/008	Patent Number:	-
First Named Inventor:	Irit Loy, Haifa, (IL)	Issue Date of Patent:	-
Title Of Invention:	Implementing data management application programming interface access rights in a parallel file system		

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10-31-2005	Mail Abandonment for Failure to Respond to Office Action
10-28-2005	Abandonment for Failure to Respond to Office Action
06-22-2005	Reference capture on IDS
06-22-2005	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
04-15-2005	Date Forwarded to Examiner
02-17-2005	Amendment/Argument after Notice of Appeal
02-16-2005	Reference capture on IDS
02-16-2005	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-17-2005	Workflow incoming amendment IFW
12-02-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
11-30-2004	Mail Advisory Action (PTOL - 303)



11-24-2004	Advisory Action (PTOL-303)
11-18-2004	Mail Non-Final Rejection
11-15-2004	Non-Final Rejection
08-23-2004	Notice of Appeal Filed
08-23-2004	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
10-15-2004	Date Forwarded to Examiner
07-16-2004	Amendment after Final Rejection
07-16-2004	Reference capture on IDS
07-29-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
07-16-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
10-15-2004	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
10-06-2004	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
07-16-2004	Workflow incoming amendment IFW
06-29-2004	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)
04-21-2004	Mail Final Rejection (PTOL - 326)
04-21-2004	Final Rejection
03-31-2004	Date Forwarded to Examiner
03-19-2004	Response after Non-Final Action
02-23-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-23-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
12-23-2003	Mail Non-Final Rejection
12-15-2003	Non-Final Rejection
10-27-2003	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
11-08-2003	Date Forwarded to Examiner
09-16-2003	Response to Election / Restriction Filed
09-16-2003	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
08-06-2003	Mail Restriction Requirement
08-05-2003	Requirement for Restriction / Election
06-16-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
10-01-2001	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed
02-01-2002	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
12-26-2001	Application Dispatched from OIPE
12-21-2001	Application Is Now Complete
08-15-2001	Notice Mailed--Application Incomplete--Filing Date Assigned
08-14-2001	Correspondence Address Change
06-29-2001	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
06-25-2001	Initial Exam Team nn